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HOPE FOR REVIVAL OF RIVER PACKET TRADE

Believed That Merger Will Mean Much For Monongahela

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Packet Combine Provides Prompts Delivery--Landing Facilities Lacking

The announcement today that the one million dollar merger of river packet lines known as the Ohio and Mississippi Packet Company had secured a charter in Charleston, W. Va., to operate along the Ohio river, revived the talk among rivermen and business men along the Monongahela river of instituting a packet service. There has been a sentiment growing for some time for a revival of the packet trade, and the activity along the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, it is expected will have the effect of bringing it to a head.

The Monongahela Packet company, which operates whatever packet service is maintained along the Monongahela river, is claimed to be in the merger of the Ohio and Mississippi Packet company, under which name the charter was secured at Charleston. In addition the Kanawha, Loretta and the Ohio packet lines are affiliated and it is stated the new company will also assume control of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati packet company. This will combine all the large businesses of the Pittsburgh district.

During the summer months and throughout the greater part of the year a three-day-a-week packet service is maintained along the Monongahela river. A daily service would be instituted and maintained if there were enough trade.

About all that is preventing a resumption of the packet trade for the benefit of merchants and citizens generally along the Monongahela river is the lack of landing facilities and the lack of understanding of the facilities offered. Freight can be received from Pittsburgh in five or six hours, a particularly advantageous thing for merchants who handle certain products who have to depend upon slow freight from Pittsburgh markets. The price of packet freight is less than half that of railroad freight according to an old riverman.

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YEAR TO WORKHOUSE FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Charles Garnet Sentenced for Killing William Berry--Allenport Case Taken Up--Highway Robbery Case Still On

After having been found guilty of manslaughter and recommended to the extreme mercy of the court, Garfield Barnett was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 and undergo imprisonment in the workhouse for one year by Judge McIlvaine. Garnett was indicted for stabbing to death William Berry of Monongahela on September 22 last.

The case against Carmen Rocko a young Italian charged by Miss Annie Lang of Allenport with making an assault with intent to rob, was taken up before Judge McIlvaine Friday evening and was uncompleted. The offense was committed as she was crossing the river on the ice, January 17.

The case against John W. Sarver and Harry Smith charged by Charles Croft of highway robbery is still going on. Several witnesses were on the stand Friday and the defense was taken up. It was closed this morning and the attorneys for the defense made their plea before the court. This afternoon an attorney for the prosecution is engaged in a review. It is expected that the case will go to the jury by 3 o'clock.

SPANISH PIANIST GIVES RECITAL

Pleasing Program Rendered Before Music Lovers at California Normal

Yesterday at the Music Hall of the Southwestern State Normal School, Senor S. Monguio, a Spanish pianist and teacher of Pittsburgh, appeared in a very successful piano recital. As an initial number Mr. Monguio chose the beautiful Debussy—Prelude in A Minor, the rendition of which was most charming, the glissando effects being especially beautiful. Rythmically and technically it proved a gem.

For a second number he played a composition of his own, a Sonata in E Major, Allegro Vivo, Andante, Allegretto and Allegro Maestro. There are many beautiful moments in this composition. Technically it is beyond the ability of the average musician, it requiring considerable technique and a touch that is sure, clear and rapid. As a composition of the highest type it reflects great credit on the work of Mr. Monguio.

This selection closed the first part of the program and the hearty applause that followed its rendition was long, showing great appreciation on the part of the vast audience.

Schuman's lovely Intermezzo was the first number on the second part of the program. Mr. Monguio's splendid reading of this piece was greatly enjoyed. Two Rossi compositions were played next, the Andantino and Allegro in G Major. Both were well played. The Allegro was simply bewitching. The third selection was witching. The third selection was Schubert's tuneful Impromptu in E flat, so well played, showing ample technic and fine balance. Chopin's Mazurka C sharp Minor and the beautiful Study in F Minor were much enjoyed, both being delicate bits of tracery.

The closing numbers in the program were three dances by Brahms' Hungarian themes, requiring finished technic and scholarly musicianship. These selections were well received, and deafening applause followed showing great appreciation on the part of the audience. He was obliged to respond to the encore.

Mr. Monguio studied under the celebrated teachers Carl Rienecke and Anton Rubenstein. Pupils from all parts of the state seek his painstaking and conscientious instruction in music. His class is large. Musically, educationally and artistically his recital was considered a decided success, and great benefit to the community.

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GRAND JURY SHOWS THE NEED OF INSANE HOME

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Athene Club Takes Up Discussion of "Philanthropists" at Friday Meeting

By Action This Week Complexing Problem Will Be Solved

THINGS RECOMMENDED

Favor Taking Over McNary Farm--No Comment on Road Matter

In disapproving the six road petitions mentioned the grand jury at Washington which adjourned Thursday made no comment or gave any reasons for their action and each petition is simply marked "Disapproved." The vote on each of the six petitions stood seven for and 14 against.

The bridges which came before the grand jury and were approved were these: Bridge over Shearn run, in Chartiers township; bridge in Twilight borough, and a bridge over Chartiers creek in South Franklin township, near Lagonda.

The members of the grand jury were so favorably impressed by the work that is being accomplished in the school at the Children's home on their visit there Wednesday that they recommended that the wages of Miss Etta Fulton, who is receiving \$35 per month and her board for the work be increased. The jury did not name any figure. The motion to increase the salary was made by John M. Hill, a school director of Charleroi and seconded by W. A. Bonar.

The recommendations made by the grand jury concerning the insane hospital were as follows:

We, the grand jury, to whom the above petition was referred by your honorable court after a thorough and careful consideration of all the matters therein contained, beg leave to report as follows:

First--That the number of insane under the care and maintenance of the poor board of Washington county and maintained in state and other institutions outside of the county, is now about 175 persons. That the amount paid by the county for the past year for the maintenance of these persons was \$14,855.10 and the amount paid by the state for same, estimated at about \$22,000, making a total paid by the county and state of about \$37,000.

We find from the testimony submitted, showing the crowded conditions of the state hospitals, and their refusal, on account of such conditions to receive any more patients from Washington county and the great inconvenience and expense in securing quarters for said insane, that it is absolutely necessary for this county to provide suitable quarters for the care and maintenance of its insane.

Second--From the facts and figures submitted to us showing the cost of maintenance of such institutions on the county care plan, and the amount contributed by the state towards such maintenance we believe that it would be for the best interests of the county to erect and maintain a hospital for its own insane.

We also believe that the tract of land, for which the commissioners hold an option to purchase known as the McNary farm containing 123 acres more or less, is a very desirable and suitable location for the building of said hospital; the same being located at Arden station and easy of access.

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Feb. 17 In American History.
1801—Thomas Jefferson's election as
president of the United States de-
cided in the house of representa-
tives on the thirty-sixth ballot.

1909—G. K. Smith, the once notorious
middle child of the Mooches, died,
a United States prisoner of war, at
Fort Leavenworth.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 5:37, rises 6:49; moon sets
6:04 p. m.; 12:41 a. m., eastern time;
new moon, passing the sun; 4:30 a. m.,
eastern time; all Jupiter's four principal
satellites seen massed near the
planet.

THE BRANDT CASE

The case of Brandt has aroused a
great deal of feeling in New York
city and well it may, says the Phila-
delphia Press. It suggests that the
judicial machinery of that great city
lent itself to a foul conspiracy and
was utilized to promote injustice at
the instance of a wealthy prosecutor
who wanted a man locked up for a
long term and very little to be said
about it. Perhaps these suspicions
are not well founded. They are now
under investigation and it is to be
hoped for the reputation of the Amer-
ican bench and bar that they will
be disproved.

Brandt, a discharged valet, entered
his former employer's home in the
evening and struck him with a tenpin
which he had carried up from the
cellar. He was charged with bur-
glary or the strength of some missing
stickpins and on the advice of his
counsel, who has since been disbarred
he pleaded guilty. The Judge ques-
tioned him, but his statement of what
he had done did not support the
charge of burglary to which he had
plead guilty. The counsel for the
complainant procured what pur-
ported to be a record of Brandt's former
misdeeds and had it laid before the
Court in order to secure the severest
possible sentence against the accused.
The official who procured this record
says he got it from an employment
agency and he knew himself nothing
of its truth and the employment agen-
cy in turn repudiated the record.
It looks like a very extensive and
deliberate conspiracy against Brandt,
who though an offender was not by
any means the hardened and exper-
ienced criminal for whom sentences
of thirty-one years are reserved.

There is doubt enough about the
case to show that Brandt ought to
have had a trial. No matter what
was proved against him he could not
possibly have fared worse than he did.
The Judge who sentenced him prob-
ably was deceived, but he evidently

feels that his position has been made
an unavoidable one by the facts now
disclosed. On the face of things the
attorney for Brandt gave him away
instead of defending him and the Dis-
trict Attorney's office exceeded its
duty when it allowed Brandt to be
sacrificed to the treachery or incom-
petence of his counsel. If the case
proves to be as bad as it looks it will
go far to destroy public confidence in
the honest administration of justice
in that jurisdiction and will be an
impeachment of a prominent Criminal
Court that will be felt injurious-
ly all over the United States.

PUBLIC SERVICE

With the agitation and discussion
of the initiative, referendum and re-
call is coming more popular apprecia-
tion of the value of public service.
Heretofore public office and positions
have been regarded too much as per-
quisites, and not in the relation of
employer and employee, as in the
case of private business affairs. Now
the people are demanding everywhere
that those who hold public positions
must render requisite service for val-
ue received.

There are people who go up in the
air at the mention of the recall. They
say a public official would be at the
mercy of every whim of the populace
—that they would be afraid to do
their duty for fear of incurring the
hostility or animosity of different
factions. To such arguments one has
only to point to private business en-
terprises, big and little, where the
recall is and always has been very
much in evidence. The very best and
most efficient service is rendered under
the conditions of the recall, and in
business circles it is so generally
acknowledged that the recall speaks
for efficient service that the question
is no longer controverted.

Very few men need be afraid of
losing their jobs by doing their duty.
It is to evade duty that the recall is
objected to, and it is the lack of the
recall that has made public service a
farce in many localities. When offi-
cials realize that they cannot use the
public service to advance their own
interests the people will have a look
in. That is what they are after now,
and the indications are that they will
have it before long, including the re-
call.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

What's the use of telling a lie at
all if you can't tell a big one.

When, wonder, will China have its
first "Fourth of July" celebration?

Possessing an "artistic tempera-
ment" is the next thing to having in-
sanity.

It is always possible to learn some-
thing from the fellow who says:
"You're wrong."

Taft doesn't lay claim to being a
politician, yet as a vote getter he has
them all beaten hands down.

There are different brands of har-
mony and the kind from which most
people beware is the machine brand.

The young man who could auda-
ciously send five valentines to as many
girls is brave enough to withstand
almost any leap year danger.

A man without wealth is rude when
he asks for his rights, but a Standard
Oil stockholder is delightfully satis-
factory when he demands what he
considers his.

People who are always complain-
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Who said a man should be chloro-
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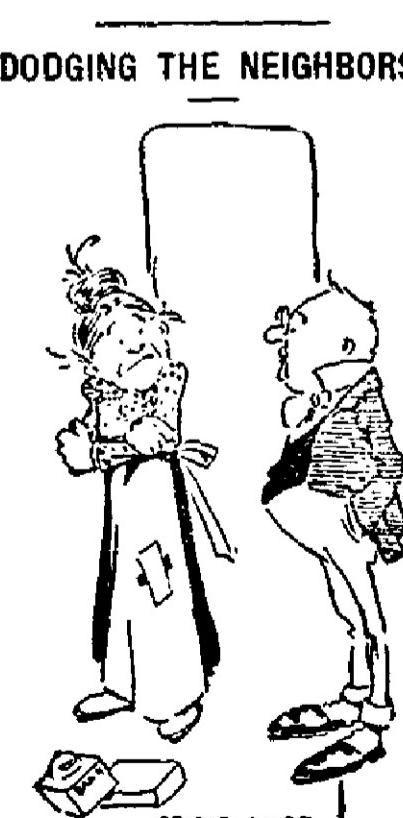
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terial is awfully pretty, and the style
is all right, but it needs something to
improve the shape of it." "Why," sug-
gested her dearest friend, "don't you
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The Personal View.

"What do you think about the idea
of putting a light on your vehicle?"

"It wouldn't be a bit of use to the
boss I always drive to town," replied

Farmer Cornfossel. "He's blind."

Floating Schools in Chile.

The Chilean maritime province of
Entre Rios has equipped two floating
schools to enable the residents of the
islands to obtain an education.

Satan's Wiles.

"Satan is mighty hard to keep
ahead of," said Uncle Eben. "After
sayin', 'Git behind me, Satan,' dar's
always a terrible temptation to turn
around an' see whether he done an'
you axed 'im."

Among the Theatres

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI

In addition to the great industrial scene, "A Visit to the Walkover Shoe Factory," at Brocton, Mass., three night this week at the Palace Theatre there were numerous other big features. One of these was "The Battle of Pottsville Bridge," a story of the Civil War founded on a real incident. The incident is one of a Southern Girl's bravery. Her brother who is in the Confederate service, attempts to burn a bridge near his own home, but is wounded, and his plan fails. His sister dresses herself in his clothes and in the face of great danger sets fire to the bridge and escapes. It was a most interesting play full of thrilling situations. The Pathé Weekly Bulletin this week took the spectator to Brazil, Sweden, France, Belgium, England, Australia, and Tripoli, where world wide events of recent date were shown as they actually occurred. Last but not least, the ladies of the audiences were treated to a display of the latest modes of fashions in dressing the hair in Paris. Samuel Barton the new tenor, continues to make a hit in his rendition of popular songs. During the week "Chicken Rag," proved to be a great favorite. Some big features have been secured for next week.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Comedy in photoplay was strong at the Star theatre this week. Our old friends "Mutt and Jeff" joined the opera and created no end of amusement. "The Laugh on Dad," "Training a Husband," "Desperate Desmond Fails" and others were most amusing photoplays. Some of the strong dramas shown this week were "The Indian Maid's Elopement," "In the Northern Woods," "The Doctor's Duty," "Youth, Queen of Hearts," and "The Gambler's Heart." Altogether it was a most enjoyable repertoire, and drew crowded houses. One of the popular features of the Star is its daily matinees from 2 to 4:30 o'clock, with a Saturday matinee from 1 to 4:30. This is an excellent opportunity for theatre parties for little folks as an entertainment, as well as a convenience for out of town shoppers.

THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG.

In the elaborate spectacular production of "The Bohemian Girl" which proved one of the truly big hits of last year, and which comes to the Alvin Theatre for a week's engagement next Monday, the Aborn Opera company offer their crowning effort as producers of opera in English, and a strikingly novel departure from it is promised. Not only have the Messrs. Aborn provided a grand opera complement of soloists, chorus, corps de ballet and special performers, employing upwards of 150 people for the presentation of the musical and dramatic purport of the Balfie masterpiece.

The finale of the first act presents the dash of horses up a mountain side in pursuit of the fleeing Gypsy Chief Devilshoof and the kidnapped Arline. The second act is opened by the arrival of Tzgani or gypsies, who encamp in view of the audience and later break camp upon their departure. The closing scene of this act shows a complete Fair or Kermess of old Bohemia in progress, with elaborate and novel specialties opportunity introduced, including the performance of a troupe of whirlwind acrobats unlike anything ever seen in this country.

The heart-stirring music of Balfie,

which includes those ever popular ballads, "I Dreamt I Dwelt in Marble Halls," "Then You'll Remember Me," and "The Heart Bowed Down," are delightfully rendered by a cast including Miss Vera Allen, Mme. Jane Herbert, Herbert Waterous, Joseph Florian, Harold Blake, Maurice Lavigne, Ralph Nicholls and Miss Dora Lynn.

THE NIXON—PITTSBURG.

Marguerite Sylva, last season prima donna of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York will appear at the Nixon Theatre Monday, February 19, for a week's engagement in A. H. Woods' production of "Gypsy Love" the musical sensation of the year. The fame of Franz Lehár, the composer of "The Merry Widow" has aroused unusual interest in this, his latest work. "Gypsy Love" has been one of the biggest hits in Europe and it has concluded a 12 weeks' engagement in Chicago. Marguerite Sylva has been engaged at a fabulous salary to sing the leading role of Zorika in "Gypsy Love."

"Gypsy Love" is in three acts, the first and last showing a castle in Hungary. Zorika, the daughter of a noble, is about to be married to Fedor, a rich young suitor, but she meets a gypsy violinist, Joszi, whose music fascinates her. She plans to elope with him but before doing so drinks the waters of a magic spring which enables her to see into the future. The second act is a dream, in which in fancy she sees herself and her gypsy lover wandering through the world unmarried, and scorned by everyone. This scene shows a gorgeous restaurant of Buda Pesth and is a riot of color, life and motion. The last act shows Zorika awakening from her dream and the reconciliation with Fedor.

In the large company supporting Sylva are Arthur Albro, a new tenor discovered in Europe by Mr. Woods; George Biskel, who plays the role of the restaurant keeper and provides much of the fun; Carl Haydn who appears as Fedor; Frances Damarest, Dorothy Webb, Robert Pitkin and a dozen others. The chorus is large and attractively gowned, while Lehár's beautiful music will be rendered by an enlarged orchestra.

THE GRAND—PITTSBURG

The coryerest of song and dance entertainers, William Rock and Maude Fulton, are to make a welcome return to Pittsburgh for one week beginning next Monday afternoon, February 19, when they appear in the Grand as the leading features of a more than ordinary high class and well balanced program of vaudeville. A company of 19 persons support Mr. Rock and Miss Fulton, 15 taking active part in the entertainment. The setting is a sumptuous and brilliant one, representing a French night restaurant, or cabaret, and the scene is typically Parisian. In a way the performance is like a tableau musical review and reminds one of a scene from "Miss Innocence" on "The Merry Widow," except that it is infinitely more foreign in its distinctive characteristics. There is a mixed octet which supports the stars capably.

One of the acts which is entirely new to Pittsburgh is Marion Littlefield's Florentine Singers. This is a high class operatic number and is introduced by a double quartet of grand opera stars, including: Helena Merrill and Helen Alton, soprano; Marion Littlefield and Florence Lemoyne, contralto; Stephana Pettine

and Angelo Liguori, tenor; Alfred Swinton and Ernest Armour, basso. The musical director is Alfredo Zambarano, and the program includes: Schuman's "Traumerl," a Medley of Old Italian Airs, "The Misere" from Verdi's "Il Trovatore," Yradier's "La Palma," a baritone solo from "Trovatore," a trio from Guinod's "Faust" and "Annie Laurie." On Wednesday and Friday evenings, in addition to their regular program, there will be a request concert in which the Florentine Singers will sing the quartet from "Rigoletto," the sextet from "Lucia," the quintet from "Martha," the last act duet from "Trovatore," contralto solo from "Faust" and a medley of popular airs.

The fascinating Amoros Sisters known as "Those French Girls," return after several years' absence to present a new specialty consisting of songs, dances and acrobatic accomplishments.

"The Dynamitic Comedian," Carl D. McCullough, makes his Pittsburgh debut with what he is pleased to call "Footlight Impressions."

Those happy German dialect comedians, Gordon and Marx are coming with patter most humorous.

Hastings and Wilson, known as "The Lunatics," will present funny acrobatic and grotesque dances. There will be a variety of other attractions and the customary motion picture exhibition the whole comprising a vaudeville entertainment of the highest quality and ample quantity.

DAMROSCHE—AT PITTSBURG

A pleasant announcement to out-of-town music lovers is the news that the New York Symphony Orchestra, Walter Damrosch, conductor, is to give a concert in Carnegie Music Hall Pittsburgh on the evening of Washington's Birthday, February 22. This will be the only appearance of this famous organization and its conductor in Pittsburgh for a year or more, as Mr. Damrosch will not play his annual engagement at the Exposition next fall. He has written a comic opera, "The Dove of Peace," which has been bought by a syndicate, and he has agreed to superintend all the preparations for its production beginning the first week in October. As the concert falls on a holiday, many out-of-town concert-goers who throng to the Exposition annually to hear this famous organization, will be enabled to come to the city to again hear their favorite orchestra.

An additional feature of interest in this very pleasing program will be the appearance of Mr. Alexander Saslavsky as violin soloist. Mr. Saslavsky is a popular favorite and is well remembered through his appearance with Mr. Damrosch at the Exposition, where he won many friends. Mr. Saslavsky will play Beethoven's Romanza in G, and Wagner's "Traume" (Dreams,) a study for violin from Tristan.

The sale of tickets will open at Hamilton's Music Store, 531 Wood Street, February 19. Out of town mail orders, accompanied by remittance, will be given special attention. Prices range from 50c to \$2.00.

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Baptist.

Sunday School at 9:45. Morning service at 11, with sermon by the pastor on topic, "Plumb Line Religion." B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30. Leaders, Miss Erma Hollyfield and Miss Marion Stanley.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Church service at 11. Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Evening service at 7:30. The benevolent offering for the next two Sundays will be for the main board of home missions through the regular envelope marked home missions. All are welcome. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Methodist.

Corner Sixth and Lincoln. Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship and sermon on "The Lord's Remembrances," at 10:45. Jr. Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:30. Topic, "The Call to Service." Leaders, George Hott and Rev. F. A. Richards. Public worship and sermon on "The Disabling Power of Past Sins," at 7:30. Splendid singing by a large chorus choir. Everybody cordially welcome to the "homelike church." Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Sabbath school at 9:45. Morning hour for preaching at 11. Sermon, "Boldness in Approaching the Mercy Seat." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Discussion, "The Boy Christ." Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Leader, Mrs. George Leith. Topic, "When to Say Yes and No." Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "Some Things Silver and Gold Cannot Buy." All are welcome to these services. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Quinquagesima or the Sunday next before Lent. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discussion, "The True Christian Character." Evening prayer and address at prayer at 7:30. All are cordially invited. Wednesday, February 21, being Ash Wednesday and the beginning of Lent, there will be service and address and celebration of the holy communion at 10:30. Evening prayer and litany will be said Friday afternoon at 4. Rev. L. W. Shay rector.

Christian.

Bible School at 9:45. Lord's Supper and preaching at 11. Evening worship at 7:30. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30. Sunday morning sermon, "A Plea for Laborers." Evening sermon, "The Ministry of Sacred Music." The people's church. All are welcome. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

St. James A. M. E.

Preaching at 10:45 and 7:45 by the pastor. Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2:30. Young People's Society of Allen Endeavor League at 6:30. All are welcome to these services. Rev. L. V. Jones, pastor.

Metropolitan Baptist.

Sermon at 11. Theme, "Preface to the Ten Commandments." Bible school at 2:30. Geo. W. Turner, superintendent. Sermon at 8. Theme, "Young People's Call to Service." All are welcome. Rev. W. B. Crawford, pastor.

MEASURING FISH BY THE EYE

It is Guesswork and Most Men Go Far Astray as to the Length.

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CHARLEROI HIGH SCHOOL FIVE WINS FROM CANONSBURG

In a game featured by the fast playing of the Charleroi High School team, a local victory was claimed over the Canonsburg High School

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team Friday. The engagement was a preliminary to the Charleroi-Johnstown struggle and was a deserved victory for the local boys. Lineup: Charleroi—36 Canonsburg—8

Jimeson F..... LeBeau

Wagner F..... McNary

Nutt C..... Black

Lowstutter G..... Jones

Middleton G..... Farrar

Substitution—Stahlman for Middleton.

Field goals—Jimeson 3,

Wagner 6, Nutt 4, Middleton, Le-

Beau, Black. Goals from foul—Jim-

eson 8 of 16, McNary 2 of 4, LeBeau

2 of 6.

Misses Pearl and Etta Halstead of

Tarentum are visiting at the home

of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Della P.

Halstead of Fallowfield avenue.

Among The Passers

Peiffer showed them a few things when he went in that didn't originate in Panama nor Uniontown either. The first event he pulled off was a startling dribble down the entire length of the floor. He threw for the basket and would have made it too if somebody hadn't fouled him just as he was tossing. His dribbling while he was in was a feature.

Everybody was in the missing game. Adams failed on two or three ordinarily sure ones, Dolin bumped against luck in about the same style and J. Brown was not hitting a railroad gait in throwing. Big Bill Heron tried two or three times but he was too close.

Bobby Mayhem with plenty of time and a load of joy for his chance failed in an excruciating moment to toss in a basket that the ordinary spectator didn't think he could miss.

Anyhow we would rather beat Uniontown on their own stamping ground than we would Johnstown at home. It hurts them more.

Newman has evidently missed his calling. His place should be with Connellsville which is rough. His tactics almost made Captain Jack lose his temper.

Wohlfarth was given a rest so he would be in shape for tonight's engagement with Uniontown. He kept time and enjoyed himself.

Joe Fogarty, basketball player,

Atlantic City baseball team's first baseman and benefit-to-be got a severe bump on the head when he and Herron came together accidentally.

Kinkaid pulled off some of his sensational passing, backwards, between his legs, over his head and divers other ways.

Allie Brown's chief work consisted of breaking up team work of the Jaws and at this he starred.

Dolin pulled away the ball from Keenan on nearly every jump.

Jimsey Brown and Adams introduced some of their prettiest team work, but shots wouldn't work right.

Southside played at Connellsville it is stated to claim their \$60 guarantee. Now they are out of the running and a new schedule has been drafted.

Rev. John R. Burson and Rev. J. T. Hackett attended the Friday evening meeting of the evangelistic services at Monessen.

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JOHNSTOWN WINS CLOSE GAME FROM CHARLEROI CLUB

Scoring Light on Both Sides
With Luck Conspicuous
by Its Absence

PLAY TO FAST FINISH

In a game in which that elusive element termed luck was conspicuous by its absence the Johnstown Central League leaders downed the happy Cherubs at the rink Friday night. Scoring was light and the final score was only 28 to 20. Wohlfarth the Jaws star was out of the game and that might have had considerable to do with the lack of aggressiveness for the rest of them couldn't seem to afford sufficient incentive to get the game really going right until the last nine minutes of play.

Fogarty scored first on a foul and was followed by two of the same kind by Adams. Newman threw his first, last and only field goal and Adams scored three more foul goals in succession. Fogarty took a hand in the show and tallied thrice from the foul line. After a somewhat sensational run down the floor Jimsey Brown let drive and the ball landed safely for the second field goal of the game. Keenan tallied and the score was 8 to 7, favor Johnstown. Adams tied the score. A couple more field goals by Fogarty and some fouls each by Adams and Fogarty left the doings rest at 17 to 9, first half.

Luck, or rather the lack of it, played a big part in the first half and was on the job the second half the same way. Both Johnstown and Charleroi suffered but the Cherubs suffered a heap the worst. Nothing seemed to go right and basket shooting was made difficult by the refusal of the ball to stay in when put.

It was not until Peiffer, a fresh man was put in by Captain Jack Adams during the last nine minutes of play that things seemed to go right. The Cherubs went up rapidly from 12 to 19, while Johnstown only scored two points. But hopes had to simmer. With the score 22 to 19, the Fogarty chaps began to get busy during the final four minutes. With two field goals and so many fouls they reached 28 while Adams and his men had to be content with a solitary additional point. The lineup:

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Dolin C..... Keenan

A. Brown G..... Kinkaid

Heron G..... Mayhem

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Field goals—Adams, J. Brown, Dolin, Newman, Fogarty 3, Keenan 3.

Foul goals—Adams, 14 out of 23;

Fogarty 14 out of 18. Referee—Weitzel.

LOCAL MENTION

Miss Edith Woodhall is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

J. L. Reeves and son Jay went to Pittsburgh this morning.

A. R. Perigrine is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Mrs. Charles Radcliffe of Cleveland, Ohio, has arrived here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Anderson of Crest avenue.

Misses Mayme Smith and Ella Phalan were in Monessen Friday evening to attend the evangelistic meetings which are being held there.

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CHARLEROI, WASHINGTON CO., PA., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1912

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HOPE FOR REVIVAL OF RIVER PACKET TRADE

Believed That Merger Will Mean Much For Monongahela

CHEAPER FREIGHT RATE

Packet Combine Provides Prompts Delivery--Landing Facilities Lacking

The announcement today that the one million dollar merger of river packet lines known as the Ohio and Mississippi Packet Company had secured a charter in Charleston, W. Va., to operate along the Ohio river, revived the talk among rivermen and business men along the Monongahela river of instituting a packet service. There has been a sentiment growing for some time for a revival of the packet trade, and the activity along the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, it is expected will have the effect of bringing it to a head.

The Monongahela Packet company, which operates whatever packet service is maintained along the Monongahela river, is claimed to be in the merger of the Ohio and Mississippi Packet company, under which name the charter was secured at Charleston. In addition the Kanawha, Loretta and the Ohio packet lines are affiliated and it is stated the new company will also assume control of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati packet company. This will combine all the large businesses of the Pittsburgh district.

During the summer months and throughout the greater part of the year a three-day-a-week packet service is maintained along the Monongahela river. A daily service would be instituted and maintained of there were enough trade.

About all that is preventing a resumption of the packet trade for the benefit of merchants and citizens generally along the Monongahela river is the lack of landing facilities and the lack of understanding of the facilities offered. Freight can be received from Pittsburgh in five or six hours, a particularly advantageous thing for merchants who handle certain products who have to depend upon slow freight from Pittsburgh markets. The price of packet freight is less than half that of railroad freight according to an old riverman.

Together with other towns Charleroi is suffering because of lack of a good wharf. On numerous occasions the proposition of building a new wharf has been considered by council but never yet has such an idea been brought to a head. It would probably cost \$1,500 to construct a good wharf and to pave the street leading to the wharf would probably cost \$1,500 or \$2,000 more.

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Coke Plants Operating

Eighty Per Cent of Frick Ovens Burning in the Connellsville Field

J. K. Brumbaugh, one of Charles Frick's provincial insurance agents, was a visitor at Connellsville Friday. While there he says that the president of a leading bank of the town stated that 80 per cent of the H. C. Frick Coke company's ovens were in blast and 54 per cent of the ovens of the entire Connellsville field are in operation. The price of coke however is very low and all the consumers who can are making two year contracts. The independent producers, however, seem to be playing a waiting game and are not operating as actively as the Frick people.

WILL HOLD THE FIRST REHEARSAL

Choral Club to Begin Preparation Monday Night for Recital

COMMITTEE IS NAMED

Part of the music that will be used in the recital to be given incidental to the Washington County Sunday school convention here in June arrived Friday and on Monday evening, when the recently organized choral club meet at the M. E. church, it will be taken up. "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "Messiah" will be the first chorus number taken up.

Prof. I. T. Daniel, music director of the choral club has announced his music committee. It consists of the following: A. H. Beeson; chairman; Rev. John R. Burson, Mrs. G. C. Wright, Andrew L. Bowers, Miss Edith Woodhall, Mrs. George Emch, and August Deprez.

TENDERED SURPRISE ON OCCASION OF 35TH ANNIVERSARY

On the occasion of her birthday, which was also the occasion of her 35th wedding anniversary, Mrs. Eli Williams was tendered a pleasant surprise Friday evening at the Elks club by a number of her friends. The affair was arranged by the daughter of Mrs. Williams, Miss Marjorie Williams. Euchre and dancing were enjoyed. Mrs. Williams received a number of individual presents in token of her birthday and she and Mr. Williams were made recipients of remembrances of their wedding anniversary. Refreshments were served.

Silver Social Monday. The Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Episcopal church will hold a Silver Social at the residence of Mrs. J. Clive Enos, 409 Lincoln avenue, Monday afternoon. All are cordially invited. 168-41

YEAR TO WORKHOUSE FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Charles Garnet Sentenced for Killing William Berry--Allenport Case Taken Up--Highway Robbery Case Still On

After having been found guilty of manslaughter and recommended to the extreme mercy of the court, Garfield Barnett was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 and undergo imprisonment in the workhouse for one year by Judge McIlvaine. Garnet was indicted for stabbing to death William Berry of Monongahela on September 22 last.

The case against Carmen Rocko a young Italian charged by Miss Annie Lang of Allenport with making an assault with intent to rob, was taken up before Judge McIlvaine Friday evening and the attorneys for the defense made their plea before the court. This afternoon an attorney for the prosecution is engaged in a review. It is expected that the case will go to the jury by 3 o'clock.

SPANISH PIANIST GIVES RECITAL

Pleasing Program Rendered Before Music Lovers at California Normal

Yesterday at the Music Hall of the Southwestern State Normal School, Senor S. Monguio, a Spanish pianist and teacher of Pittsburg, appeared in a very successful piano recital. As an initial number Mr. Monguio chose the beautiful Debussy—Prelude in A Minor, the rendition of which was most charming, the glissando effects being especially beautiful. Rythmically and technically it proved a gem. For a second number he played a composition or his own, a Sonata in E Major, Allegro Vivo, Andante, Allegretto and Allegro Maestro. There are many beautiful moments in this composition. Technically it is beyond the ability of the average musician, it requiring considerable technique and a touch that is sure, clear and rapid. As a composition of the highest type it reflects great credit on the work of Mr. Monguio.

This selection closed the first part of the program and the hearty applause that followed its rendition was long, showing great appreciation on the part of the vast audience. Schuman's lovely Intermezzo was the first number on the second part of the program. Mr. Monguio's splendid reading of this piece was greatly enjoyed. Two Rossi compositions were played next, the Andantino and Allegro in G Major. Both were well played. The Allegro was simply bewitching. The third selection was witching. The third selection was Schubert's tuneful Impromptu in E flat, so well played, showing ample technic and fine balance. Chopin's Mazurka C sharp Minor and the beautiful Study in F Minor were much enjoyed, both being delicate bits of tracery.

The closing numbers in the program were three dances by Brahms' Hungarian themes, requiring finished technic and scholarly musicianship. These selections were well received, and deafening applause followed showing great appreciation on part of the audience. He was obliged to respond to the encore.

Mr. Monguio studied under the celebrated teachers Carl Rienecke and Anton Rubenstein. Pupils from all parts of the state seek his painstaking and conscientious instruction in music. His class is large. Musically, educationally and artistically his recital was considered a decided success, and great benefit to the community.

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The Athene club in a meeting at

of Lincoln avenue Friday afternoon took up the study of "Philanthropists" in pursuing the year's study of "Historical Women." An interesting program was carried out. Mrs. J. Clive Enos treated the subject "Jane Addams Twenty Years at Hull House." Miss Margaret Chisholm discussed the work of Miss Russell Sage and Mrs. Edwin McKey took up the discussion of Dorothy Dix. Current events formed a part of the general discussion.

ISSUES BOOK ON BEEF PRODUCTION

Pennsylvania Railroad Interested in Cattle Raising in This State

THE POINTS CONSIDERED

What is regarded as a unique departure in railroad agricultural work is the inauguration by the Pennsylvania Railroad of a campaign in the interest of beef production. Following up this new activity, the company has just issued a pamphlet entitled "Beef Production in Pennsylvania."

An extensive list of agricultural publications is now being distributed by the Freight Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Among the latest issued are:

"Essentials of Soil Fertility," "Alfalfa," "Orchard Development," "Potato Culture," "Seed Grain Suggestions," "Use of Dynamite on the Farm," "Farming Possibilities of the Delaware, Maryland, Virginia Peninsula."

"Good Roads at Low Cost."

The Railroad announces that it is not its intention in any way to encourage the feeding of beef cattle at the expense of maintaining dairy herds. It is greatly interested in the development of its milk traffic, having as recently as November 1, 1911, established a department specially for that purpose. On many farms where an abundance of forage obtains, farmers might find it advantageous to undertake the feeding of cattle for market in addition to milk production, resulting in direct profit from the marketing of the cattle as well as increasing the fertility of the land.

No Longer Dry.

California will be no longer dry. The town council there this week voted \$25 to the business men's association for the purpose of establishing a public pump. People will no longer need to go thirsty at the normal town.

Westmoreland's Tax Rate 3 1/2 Mills

The county commissioners of Westmoreland county have fixed the county tax levy for the ensuing year at 3 1/2 mills. This is half a mill higher than last year.

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By Action This Week Complexing Problem Will Be Solved

THINGS RECOMMENDED

Favor Taking Over McNary Farm--No Comment on Road Matter

In disapproving the six road petitions mentioned the grand jury at Washington which adjourned Thursday made no comment or gave any reason for their action, and each petition is simply marked "Disapproved." The vote on each of the six petitions stood seven for and 14 against.

The bridges which came before the grand jury and were approved were these: Bridge over Shearn run, in Chartiers township; bridge in Twilight borough, and a bridge over Chartiers creek in South Franklin township, near Lagonda.

The members of the grand jury were so favorably impressed by the work that is being accomplished in the school at the Children's home on their visit there Wednesday that they recommended that the wages of Miss Etta Fulton, who is receiving \$35 per month and her board for the work be increased. The jury did not name any figure. The motion to increase the salary was made by John M. Hill, a school director of Charleroi and seconded by W. A. Bonar.

The recommendations made by the grand jury concerning the insane hospital were as follows:

We, the grand jury, to whom the above petition was referred by your honorable court after a thorough and careful consideration of all the matters therein contained, beg leave to report as follows:

First—That the number of insane under the care and maintenance of the poor board of Washington county and maintained in state and other institutions outside of the county, is now about 175 persons. That the amount paid by the county for the past year for the maintenance of these persons was \$14,855.10 and the amount paid by the state for same, estimated at about \$22,000, making a total paid by the county and state of about \$37,000.

We find from the testimony submitted, showing the crowded conditions of the state hospitals, and their refusal, on account of such conditions to receive any more patients from Washington county and the great inconvenience and expense in securing quarters for said insane, that it is absolutely necessary for this county to provide suitable quarters for the care and maintenance of its insane.

Second—From the facts and figures submitted to us showing the cost of maintenance of such institutions on the county care plan, and the amount contributed by the state towards such maintenance we believe that it would be for the best interests of the county to erect and maintain a hospital for its own insane.

We also believe that the tract of land, for which the commissioners hold an option to purchase known as the McNary farm containing 123 acres more or less, is a very desirable and suitable location for the building of said hospital; the same being located at Arden station and easy of access.

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Feb. 17 in American History.

1801—Thomas Jefferson's election as president of the United States delayed the time of representatives.

1900—G. W. C. Ladd, notorious thief, was shot dead, died a few days later, a victim of war, at Fall.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From the Almanac tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:07 p.m. at moon sets 5:04 p.m. rising sun 4:30 a.m. eastern time, all Jupiter's four principal satellites seen massed near the planet.

THE BRANDT CASE.

The case of Brandt has aroused a great deal of feeling in New York city and well it may, says the Philadelphia Press. It suggests that the judicial machinery of that great city lent itself to a foul conspiracy and was utilized to promote injustice at the instance of a wealthy prosecutor who wanted a man locked up for a long term and very little to be said about it. Perhaps these suspicions are not well founded. They are now under investigation and it is to be hoped for the reputation of the American bench and bar that they will be disproved.

Brandt, a discharged valet, entered his former employer's home in the evening and struck him with a tempest which he had carried up from the cellar. He was charged with burglary on the strength of some missing stickpins and on the advice of his counsel, who has since been disbarred he pleaded guilty. The Judge questioned him, but his statement of what he had done did not support the charge of burglary to which he had plead guilty. The counsel for the complainant procured what purported to be a record of Brandt's former misdeeds and had it laid before the Court in order to secure the severest possible sentence against the accused. The official who procured this record says he got it from an employment agency and he knew himself nothing of its trust and the employment agency in turn repudiated the record.

It looks like a very extensive and deliberate conspiracy against Brandt, who though an offender was not by any means the hardened and experienced criminal for whom sentences of thirty-one years are reserved.

There is doubt enough about the case to show that Brandt ought to have had a trial. No matter what was proved against him he could not possibly have fared worse than he did.

The Judge who sentenced him probably was deceived, but he evidently

feels that his position has been made an unenviable one by the facts now disclosed. On the face of things the attorney for Brandt gave him away instead of defending him and the District Attorney's office exceeded its duty when it allowed Brandt to be sacrificed to the treachery or incompetence of his counsel. If the case proves to be as bad as it looks it will go far to destroy public confidence in the honest administration of justice in that jurisdiction and will be an impeachment of a prominent Criminal Court that will be felt injuriously all over the United States.

PUBLIC SERVICE

With the agitation and discussion of the initiative, referendum and recall is coming more popular appreciation of the value of public service. Heretofore public office and positions have been regarded too much as perquisites, and not in the relation of employer and employee, as in the case of private business affairs. Now the people are demanding everywhere that those who hold public positions must render requisite service for value received.

There are people who go up in the air at the mention of the recall. They say a public official would be at the mercy of every whim of the populace—that they would be afraid to do their duty for fear of incurring the hostility or animosity of different factions. To such arguments one has only to point to private business enterprises, big and little, where the recall is and always has been very much in evidence. The very best and most efficient service is rendered under the conditions of the recall, and in business circles it is so generally acknowledged that the recall speaks for efficient service that the question is no longer controversial.

Very few men need be afraid of losing their jobs by doing their duty. It is to evade duty that the recall is objected to, and it is the lack of the recall that has made public service a force in many localities. When officials realize that they cannot use the public service to advance their own interests the people will have a look in. That is what they are after now, and the indications are that they will have it before long, including the recall.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

What's the use of telling a lie at all if you can't tell a big one.

When, wonder, will China have its first "Fourth of July" celebration?

Possessing an "artistic temperament" is the next thing to having insanity.

It is always possible to learn something from the fellow who says: "You're wrong."

Taft doesn't lay claim to being a politician, yet as a vote getter he has them all beaten hands down.

There are different brands of harmony and the kind from which most people beware is the machine brand.

The young man who could audaciously send five valentines to as many girls is brave enough to withstand almost any leap year danger.

A man without wealth is rude when he asks for his rights, but a Standard Oil stockholder is delightfully sarcastic when he demands what he considers his.

People who are always complaining that hard work never gets them anything, spend so much time talking they don't get acquainted with what is really hard work.

Samuel G. Blythe says it takes a vivid imagination to imagine a Democratic party in Pennsylvania. Still the Keystone State usually manages to get its Democratic delegates to the trouble.

Who said a man should be chloroformed when he becomes 40 years of age? There's Rudolph Blankenburg, mayor of Philadelphia, celebrating his 69th birthday and just going good.

The Washington Observer has a new department headed "Among the Court House Grafters." It will not

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What Chance Has He?
Johnny—"Grandpa, do lions go to heaven?" Grandpa—"No, Johnny."
Johnny—"Well, do ministers?" Grandpa—"Why, of course. Why do you ask?" Johnny—"Well, suppose a lion eats a minister?" Life.

The Personal View.
"What do you think about the idea of putting a light on your vehicle?" "It wouldn't be a bit of use to the horse I always drive to town," replied Farmer Corntassel. "He's blind."

Floating Schools in Chile.
The Chilean maritime province of Entre Rios has equipped two floating schools to enable the residents of its islands to obtain an education.

Satan's Wiles.
"Satan is mighty hard to keep ahead of," said Uncle Eben. "After sayin' 'Git behind me, Satan,' I'd git away a terrible temptation to turn around an' see whether he done as you axed 'im."

Among the Theatres

THE PALACE—CHARLEROI

In addition to the great industrial scene, "A Visit to the Walkover Since Factory," at Boston, Mass., three night this week at the Palace Theatre there were numerous other big features. One of these was "The Battle of Pottsville Bridge," a story of the Civil War founded on a real incident. The incident is one of a Southern Girl's bravery. Her brother who is in the Confederate service, attempts to burn a bridge near his own home, but is wounded, and his plan fails. His sister dresses herself in his clothes and in the face of great danger sets fire to the bridge and escapes. It was a most interesting play full of thrilling situations. The Pathé Weekly Bulletin this week took the spectator to Brazil, Sweden, France, Belgium, England, Australia and Tripoli, where world wide events of recent date were shown as they actually occurred. Last but not least, the ladies of the audiences were treated to a display of the latest modes of fashions in dressing the hair in Paris. Samuel Barton the new tenor, continues to make a hit in his rendition of popular songs. During the week "Chicken Rag," proved to be a great favorite. Some big features have been secured for next week.

THE STAR—CHARLEROI

Comedy in photoplay was strong at the Star theatre this week. Our old friends "Mutt and Jeff" joined the opera and created no end of amusement. "The Laugh on Dad," "Training a Husband," "Desperate Desmond Fails" and others were most amusing photoplays. Some of the strong dramas shown this week were "The Indian Maid's Elopement," "In the Northern Woods," "The Doctor's Duty," "Youth, Queen of Hearts," and "The Gambler's Heart." Altogether it was a most enjoyable repertoire, and drew crowded houses. One of the popular features of the Star is its daily matinees from 2 to 4:30 o'clock, with a Saturday matinee from 1 to 4:30. This is an excellent opportunity for theatre parties for little folks as an entertainment, as well as a convenience for out-of-town shoppers.

THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG

In the elaborate spectacular production of "The Bohemian Girl," which proved one of the truly big hits of last year, and which comes to the Alvin Theatre for a week's engagement next Monday, the Aborn Opera Company offer their crowning effort as producers of opera in English, and Grand as the leading features of a strikingly novel departure from it more than ordinary high class and is promised. Not only have the well balanced program of vaudeville Messrs. Aborn provided a grand company of 19 persons supporting complement of soloists, chorus, Mr. Rock, and Miss Fulton, 15 taking corps de ballet and special performers, employing upwards of 150 people! The setting is a sumptuous and brilliant one, representing a French and dramatic purport of the Balfe night restaurant, or cabaret, and the scene is typically Parisian. In a way

The finale of the first act presents the performance of the musical review and reminds one of a side in pursuit of the fleeing Gypsy scene from "Miss Innocence" on "The Chief Devilshoof and the kidnapped Arline. The second act is opened by finitely more foreign in its distinction the arrival of Tzgarni or gypsies, who the characteristics. There is a mix- encamp in view of the audience and ed octet which supports the stars later break camp upon their departure. The closing scene of this act shows a complete Fair or Kermess of old Bohemia in progress, with elaborate and novel specialties introduced, including the performance of a troupe of whirlwind acrobats unlike anything ever seen in this country.

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and Angelo Liguori, tenors; Alfred Swinton and Ernest Armour, basso. The musical director is Alfredo Zambarano, and the program includes: Schuman's "Traumerei," a Medley of Old Italian Airs, "The Misere" from Verdi's "Il Trovatore," Yradier's "La Palma," a baritone solo from "Trovatore," a trio from Guignod's "Faust" and "Annie Laurie." On Wednesday and Friday evenings, in addition to their regular program, there will be a request concert in which the Florentine Singers will sing the quartet from Rigoletto, the sextet from "Lucia," the quintet from "Martha," the last act duet from "Trovatore," contralto solo from "Faust" and a medley of popular airs.

The fascinating Amoros Sisters known as "Those French Girls," return after several years' absence to present a new specialty consisting of songs, dances and acrobatic accomplishments.

"The Dynamic Comedian," Carl D. McCullough, makes his Pittsburgh debut with what he is pleased to call "Footlight Impressions."

Those happy German dialect comedians, Gordon and Marx are coming with patter most humorous.

Hastings and Wilson, known as "The Lunatics," will present funny acrobatic and grotesque dances. There will be a variety of other attractions and the customary motion picture exhibition the whole comprising a vaudeville entertainment of the highest quality and ample quantity.

DAMROSCH—AT PITTSBURG

A pleasant announcement to out-of-town music lovers is the news that the New York Symphony Orchestra, Walter Damrosch, conductor, is to give a concert in Carnegie Music Hall Pittsburg on the evening of Washington's Birthday, February 22. This will be the only appearance of this famous organization and its conductor in Pittsburg for a year or more, as Mr. Damrosch will not play his annual engagement at the Exposition next fall. He has written a comic opera, "The Dove of Peace," which has been bought by a syndicate and he has agreed to superintend all the preparations for its production beginning the first week in October. As its concert falls on a holiday, many out-of-towners who throng to the Exposition annually to hear this famous organization, will be enabled to come to the city to again hear their favorite orchestra.

An additional feature of interest in this very pleasing program will be the appearance of Mr. Alexander Saslavsky as violin soloist. Mr. Saslavsky is a popular favorite and is well remembered through his appearance with Mr. Damrosch at the Exposition, where he won many friends. Mr. Saslavsky will play Beethoven's "Romanza" in G, and Wagner's "Traume" (Dreams,) a study for violin from Tristan.

The sale of tickets will open at Hamilton's Music Store, 581 Wood Street, February 19. Out of town mail orders, accompanied by remittance, will be given special attention. Prices range from 50c to \$2.00

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Baptist.

Sunday School at 9:45. Morning service at 11, with sermon by the pastor on topic, "Plumb Line Religion." B. Y. P. U. meeting at 6:30. Leaders, Miss Erma Holyfield and Miss Marion Stanley.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Church service at 11. Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Evening service at 7:30. The benevolent offering for the next two Sundays will be for the main board of home missions through the regular envelope marked home missions. All are welcome. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Methodist.

Corner Sixth and Lincoln. Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship and sermon on "The Lord's Remembrances," at 10:45. Jr. Epworth League at 2. Epworth League at 6:30 Topic, "The Call to Service." Leaders, George Hott and Rev. F. A. Richards. Public worship and sermon on "The Disabling Power of Past Suns," at 7:30. Splendid singing by a large chorus choir. Everybody cordially welcome to the "homelike church." Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Sabbath school at 9:15. Morning hour for preaching at 11. Sermon, "Boldness in Approaching the Mercy Seat." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Discussion, "The Boy Christ." S. C. E. at 6:30. Leader, Mrs. George Leith. Topic, "When to Say Yes and No." Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "Some Thing Silver and Gold Cannot Buy." All are welcome to these services. Rev. John R. Burton, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout Quinquaginta or the Sunday next before Lent. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discussion, "The Five Christian Character."

Evening prayer and address at 7:30. All are cordially invited Wednesday, February 21, being Ash Wednesday and the beginning of Lent, there will be service and address and celebration of the holy communion at 10:30. Evening prayer and liturgy will be said Friday afternoon at 4. Rev. L. W. Shay, rector.

Christian.

Bible School at 9:15. Lord's Supper and preaching at 11. Evening worship at 7:30. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30. Sunday morning sermon at 7:30. Sunday morning sermon, "A Plea for Laborers." Evening sermon, "The Ministry of Sacred Music." The people's church. All are welcome. Rev. E. N. Dury, pastor.

St. James A. M. E.

Preaching at 10:45 and 7:45 by the pastor. Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2:30. Young People's Society of Allen Endeavor League at 6:30. All are welcome to these services. Rev. L. V. Jones, pastor.

Metropolitan Baptist.

Sermon at 11. Theme, "Preface to the Ten Commandments." Bible school at 2:30. Geo. W. Turner, superintendent. Sermon at 8. Theme, "Young People's Call to Service." All are welcome. Rev. W. B. Crawford, pastor.

MEASURING FISH BY THE EYE

It is Guesswork and Most Men Go Far Astray as to the Length.

Not every man can measure fish accurately by eye. Many people are apt to make their guess too big, and then there are many who, misled by the tapering head and the diminishing tail end of the fish, are apt to make it too small.

Here was a little bunch of men out fishing for blues, and presently one pulled in a handsome and fair-sized fish. Then somebody started guessing at the length of it and one guessed two feet and another four and still another three feet. Then a man in the boat who was familiar with fishes glanced at this blue and said that he guessed it would measure two feet and a half; whereupon a man in the party who had a tape measure in his pocket got that out and put the tape on the fish; and it actually measured 31 inches.

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"My wife stepped on a rusty nail and ran it into her foot. San Cura Ointment drew out a poisonous brown pus and cured her promptly." — Eugene McKenzie, Plum, Pa.

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San Cura Soap will cure pimples, blackheads and all skin diseases. Makes the complexion clear and the skin velvet. 25 cents at W. F. Henning's.

Mail orders for San Cura Ointment and Soap filled by Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

DON'T GIVE UP

Discouraged Citizens Will Find Comfort in the Experience of Charleroi Man.

Experience is the modern instructor. Profit by the experience of others. It may save your life.

The experience of friends and neighbors.

The testimony of Charleroi people will bring renewed encouragement. Here is a case in point:

M. Miller, 210 Second St., Charleroi, Pa., says: "While living in Marion, Ind., I used Doan's Kidney Pills and in return for the great benefit I received, I can recommend them highly. My principal trouble was backache, but I was also annoyed by headaches and dizzy spells, and difficulty with the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me at once and I also know of other persons who have used them with good results."

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

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Dissolution Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between W. E. Harper and C. H. Harper, under the firm name of Harper Brothers, has been dissolved by mutual consent, W. E. Harper retiring. C. H. Harper retains the business. Any bills contracted by W. E. Harper will not be assumed by me.

C. H. Harper.

LETTER THAN SPANNING

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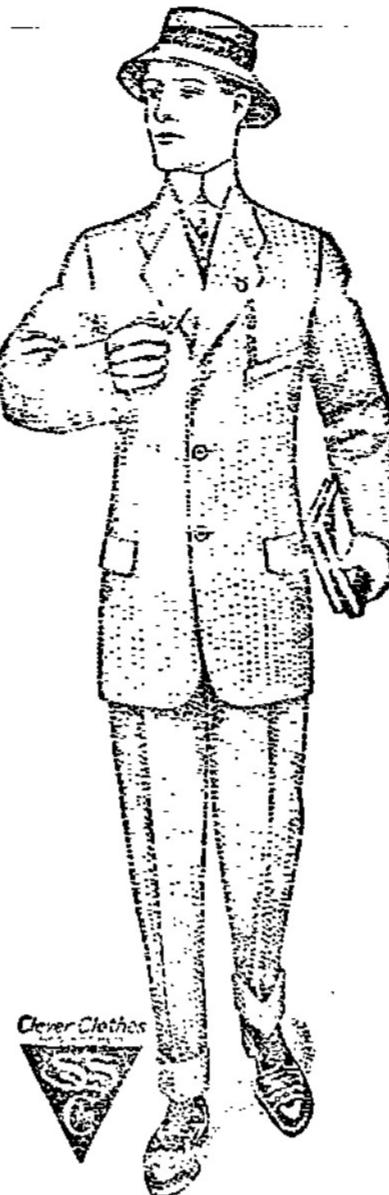
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Men's Suits--Boys' Suits

Final Close Out of All Men's and Boys' Suits
Every Suit in the Store to Go At Sensational Reductions

The last and heaviest reduction on all Men's and Boys' Suits. We mean every word of it and the prices will show it. You should not miss this opportunity of getting a new suit at prices we are asking. Not a suit reserved, but all of our best and most desirable suits included such as L System, Strouse & Bros., "High Art" Clothing and "Clever Clothes." Sale starts Friday, February 16th. Note our prices:

Men's and youths' \$25.00 suits at.....	\$16.50
Men's and youths' 22.00 suits at.....	14.75
Men's and youths' 20.00 suits at.....	13.50
Men's and youths' 18.00 suits at.....	12.50
Men's and youths' 15.00 suits at.....	9.75
Men's and youths' 12.00 suits at.....	8.50
Men's and youths' 10.00 suits at.....	7.00
Men's and youths' 8.00 suits at.....	5.75
Boys' best \$12.00 suits now.....	\$8.75
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Boys' best 6.00 suits now.....	4.25
Boys' best 5.00 suits now.....	3.75
Boys' best 4.00 suits now.....	2.75
Boys' best 3.50 suits now.....	2.25
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Charleroi, Penna.

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CHARLEROI HIGH
SCHOOL FIVE WINS
FROM CANONSBURG

In a game featured by the fast playing of the Charleroi High School team, a local victory was claimed over the Canonsburg High School

team Friday. The engagement was a preliminary to the Charleroi-Johnstown struggle and was a deserved victory for the local boys. Lineup: Charleroi—36 Canonsburg—8 Jimeson F. LeBeau Wagner F. McNary Nutt C. Black Lowstutter G. Jones Middleton G. Farrar Substitution—Stahlman for Middleton. Field goals—Jimeson 3, Wagner 6, Nutt 4, Middleton, LeBeau, Black. Goals from foul—Jimeson 8 of 16, McNary 2 of 4, LeBeau 2 of 6.

Misses Pearl and Etta Halstead of Tarentum are visiting at the home of their sister-in-law, Mrs. Della P. Halstead of Fallowfield avenue.

Among The Passers

Peiffer showed them a few things when he went in that didn't originate in Panama nor Uniontown either. The first event he pulled off was a startling dribble down the entire length of the floor. He threw for the basket and would have made it too if somebody hadn't fouled him just as he was tossing. His dribbling while he was in was a feature.

Everybody was in the missing game Adams failed on two or three ordinarily sure ones, Dolin bumped against luck in about the same style and J. Brown was not hitting a railroad gait in throwing. Big Bill Herron tried two or three times but he was too close.

Bobby Mayhem with plenty of time and a load of joy for his chance failed in an excruciating moment to toss in a basket that the ordinary spectator didn't think he could miss.

Anyhow we would rather beat Uniontown on their own stamping ground than we would Johnstown at home. It hurts them more.

Newman has evidently missed his calling. His place should be with Connellsville which is rough. His tactics almost made Captain Jack lose his temper.

Wohlfarth was given a rest so he would be in shape for tonight's engagement with Uniontown. He kept time and enjoyed himself.

Joe Fogarty, basketball player,

The Dog's Reward.

Hero dogs are hereafter to have medals for deeds of valor. The chairman of the small animals committee says that they "have too long been rewarded with a mere pat on the head and a kind word." Still, a dog would rather have a pat on the head and a kind word from the right person than a ton of committee medals from strangers.

Fowls of the Air.

"When I order poultry from you again," said the man who quarrels with his grocer, "I don't want you to send me any of those aeroplane chickens." "What kind do you mean?" "The sort that are all wings and machinery and no meat"—Good House

Wanted.

Benevolent Lady—Little boy, will you give this temperance tract to your father?

Urchin—Me dad don't drink now, leddy.

Benevolent Lady—Oh, how good. Did he read the last tract I gave him?

Urchin—No, leddy. He's training for a prize fight.—Baltimore Sun.

Forced to It.

Did you ask father if you might have me?"

"Yes, darling."

"What did he say?"

"He said he would rather see you borne to your grave."

"Oh, pshaw, then we'll have to take it up with mother personally."—Chicago Record-Herald.

JOHNSTOWN WINS
CLOSE GAME FROM
CHARLEROI CLUB

Scoring Light on Both Sides
With Luck Conspicuous
by Its Absence

PLAY TO FAST FINISH

In a game in which that elusive element termed luck was conspicuous by its absence the Johnstown Central League leaders downed the happy Cherubs at the rink Friday night. Scoring was light and the final score was only 25 to 20. Wombarth the Jawn star was out of the game and that might have had considerable to do with the lack of aggressiveness for the rest of them couldn't seem to get into the game. The game really going right until the last nine minutes of play.

Fogarty scored first on a foul and was followed by two of the same kind by Adams. Newman threw his first, last and only field goal and Adams scored three more foul goals in succession. Fogarty took a hand in the show and tallied thrice from the foul line. After a somewhat sensational run down the floor Jimsey Brown let drive and the ball landed safely for the second field goal of the game. Keenan tallied and the score was 8 to 7, favor Johnstown. Adams tied the score. A couple more field goals by Fogarty and some fouls each by Adams and Fogarty left the doings rest at 17 to 9, first half.

Luck, or rather the lack of it, played a big part in the first half and was on the job the second half the same way. Both Johnstown and Charleroi suffered but the Cherubs suffered a heap the worst. Nothing seemed to go right and basket shooting was made difficult by the refusal of the ball to stay in when put.

It was not until Peiffer, a fresh man was put in by Captain Jack Adams during the last nine minutes of play that things seemed to go right. The Cherubs went up rapidly from 12 to 19, while Johnstown only scored two points. But hopes had to simmer. With the score 22 to 19, the Fogarty chaps began to get busy during the final four minutes. With two field goals and so many fouls they reached 28 while Adams and his men had to be content with a solitary additional point. The lineup:

Charleroi—20 Johnstown—23 Adams F. Newman J. Brown F. Fogarty Dolin C. Keenan A. Brown G. Kinkaid Herron G. Mayhem Substitution—Peiffer for A. Brown Field goals—Adams, J. Brown, Dolin, Newman, Fogarty 8, Keenan 3. Foul goals—Adams, 18 out of 23; Fogarty 14 out of 16. Referee Weitzel.

LOCAL MENTION

Miss Edith Woodhall is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

J. L. Reeves and son Jay went to Pittsburgh this morning.

A. R. Perigrine is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Mrs. Charles Radcliffe of Cleveland, Ohio, has arrived here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Anderson of Crest avenue.

Misses Mayme Smith and Ella Phalan were in Monessen Friday evening to attend the evangelistic meetings which are being held there.

Rev. John R. Burson and Rev. J. T. Hackett attended the Friday evening meeting of the evangelistic services at Monessen.

Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Shey attended the piano recital by Senor Monguio at the California Normal school Thursday evening.

Shifting Ministers.

One of Wesley's reasons for shifting his preachers every three years was wovely that they might be able to preach the same sermon over again to different congregations. He knew by experience the difficulty of sermon making. After a few weeks, he said, a preacher cannot find matter for preaching every morning and evening; nor will the people come to hear him; whereas if he never stays more than a fortnight in one place he will find plenty of matter, and the people will hear him gladly. I know that were I to preach one whole year in one place I should preach both myself and my congregation to sleep.

New Meat Boiler.

A boiler, invented by a Virginian holds the meat to be cooked in a vertical position within a casing that catches every drop of juice that falls from it.

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Star Theatre

TODAY

The Sign of the Helmet.

The Boarding House Mystery.

The Locket.

Matinee daily, 2 to 4:30 p. m.

Saturday Matinee, 1 to 4:30 p. m.

PICTURES CHANGED DAILY

Doors open every evening at 6 p.m.

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Ralston's Co-Operative, Bostonians, in lace and button, all styles, all sizes, several different shades.

At \$2.98 you could not buy any of these shoes from the manufacturers in dozen lots. It's below cost.

All other Men's Winter Shoes reduced 10 per cent.

J. J. Beerens

The Right Store on the Wrong Side of the Street

513 Fallowfield Avenue.

GRAND JURY
SHOWS NEED OF
INSANE HOME

(Continued from first page.)

to both steam and electric railways. It also adjoins the present county poor farm upon which the County Home and Children's Home are located and by reason of this proximity would prove a great advantage and saving by being able to combine the necessary lighting, heating and disposal plant for all of said buildings, and we therefore, recommend and approve the acceptance of the said option and the purchase of said farm by the county commissioners under the terms and conditions therein contained for the use of the poor board for the care and maintenance of the insane of Washington county.

Third—We further recommend that the county commissioners after the purchase of this farm, take the necessary steps to procure plans and specifications for the erection of suitable quarters for the care and maintenance of the insane of Washington county and recommend that said plans and specifications be so drawn that additional buildings can be added to the original structure from time to time, as the necessity requires; and that said plans and specifications be prepared and submitted by the county commissioners to the next grand jury for their approval.

Approved February 15, 1912.
Pressly Thompson, Foreman.
Herman Dague, Secretary.

Saturday Afternoon.

Prof Oatman will have a Children's dancing class from 2 to 4:30 in Micht's Auditorium. Lessons 35 cents. 151-tf

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